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This is in response to the FEC letter dated 1/27/2005.

Culberson for Congress did not file a 48 Hour Report for the inkind contribution, in the amount of \$1,684.61 from the Texas Medical Association PAC because the PAC did not notify the campaign until well-after the 48 Hour Reporting period had closed. The campaign Treasurer had provided a credit card to pay for the event and learned in December that the PAC had generously decided to make the event cost an inkind contribution. Upon learning of the inkind, the Treasurer contacted the FEC and filed an amendment to the 30day Post General Report disclosing the inkind contribution. Again, because the contribution was not known until December 2004, it could not be reported during the 48 Hour Reporting period.